

INLET PROTECTION



The City of Memphis requires that construction contractors implement Best Management Practices on sites to prevent polluted runoff and eroded soil from entering storm drains. Debris and chemicals can flow into local waterways through the storm drain system. This type of pollution is harmful to both humans and natural ecosystems.

See reverse for a quick-reference guide to inlet protection requirements related to pollution prevention planning.

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WARNING: Inlet protection will cause flooding.

Do not use inlet protection in streets open to traffic or other areas where flooding could cause damage.

There are many types of acceptable inlet protection. Two common, effective methods are shown below:

